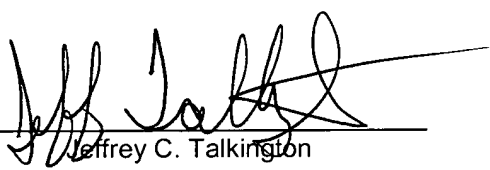


<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)</b>			Docket No. <b>87835.2</b>	
In re Application of: Baback Gharizadeh				
Serial No. 10/623,458	Filing Date July 17, 2003	Examiner Christopher M. Babic	Group Art Unit 1637	
Invention: Target-Specific Multiple Sequencing Primer Pool For Microbial Typing And Sequencing Applications In DNA-Sequencing Technologies				
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>				
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of May 5, 2006, in the above-identified application.				
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months	<input type="checkbox"/> Three months	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months
From: <u>August 5, 2006</u> until <u>September 5, 2006</u> Date Date				
The fee for the extension of time is \$60.00 for a small entity, and is to be paid as follows:				
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1850.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 07-1850.				
Dated: September 1, 2006 Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. 1 Maritime Plaza, Suite 300 San Francisco, CA 94111 (415) 954-0200		 Jeffrey C. Talkington Reg. No. 58,381		
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